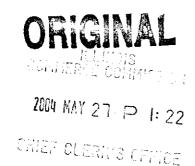
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Commonwealth Edison Company)	
Application for a Certificate of Public)	Docket No. 02-0838
Convenience and Necessity, pursuant to)	Sal
Section 8-406 of the Illinois Public Utilities)		14C
Act,) and for an Order, under Section 8-503)		1 *
of the Illinois Public Utilities Act, authorizing)	
and directing ComEd to construct, operate)		
and maintain a new electric transmission line in)	
Kane County Illinois	Ś	

REPLY OF SANDRA JELM TO ST. CHARLES PETITION TO INTERVENE AND RESPONSE TO COMMONWEALTH EDISON'S PETITION TO WITHDRAW ITS APPLICATION AND MOTION TO DISMISS

Now comes the Intervenor, Sandra Jelm, and for her reply to St. Charles motion to intervene and response to Commonwealth Edison's petition to withdraw its application and to dismiss, states as follows:

I, as an intervenor, am familiar with the issues in this matter and have been involved with the Commonwealth Edison's application filed with the ICC.

I am aware that Commonwealth Edison has determined that new technology would allow Com Ed to reinforce its current 34kV lines with additional 34kV lines that would allow the necessary power upgrades to meet the power needs of the communities. Com Ed has advised that this system would make the proposed 138kV proposal unnecessary.

I favor the proposal of Com Ed to upgrade its current 34kV lines (the "alternative proposal") and support Com Ed's petition to withdraw and dismiss this action. There is every reason to believe that Com Ed has produced a workable alternative to the original 138kV proposal.

St. Charles has never filed an intervening petition and should <u>not be</u> allowed to at this late date.

It is my understanding that the ICC staff has no objection to the dismissal of Com Ed's petition.

For the reasons stated above, Sandra Jelm supports the Petition of Com Ed to withdraw its petition and to dismiss this action.

Sandra Jelm, Intervenor

Dated: May 24, 2004